

The Pocahontas Times,

Hear, Land o' Cakes and brother Scots,
Free Maidenkin to Johnny Grants.
If there's a hole in your coat,
I'll give you a new one.
A chieftain's among you takin' notes,
An' faith he'll put 'em in Buns.
Local Events.

CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO RAILWAY

In Effect June 1, 1901
(Central time.)

WEST	Stations.	EAST
No 141 Daily ex- Sunday		No 142 Daily ex- Sunday
P. M.		A. M.
1:45	Cass	11:45
1:55	Forest	11:55
2:10	Clover Lick	12:10
2:25	Harper	12:25
3:00	Marlinton	1:00
3:15	Buckeye	1:15
3:25	Van	1:25
3:30	Sectert	1:30
3:52	Beards	1:54
4:10	Drop Mountain	2:12
4:22	Kenick	2:24
4:35	Spring Creek	2:37
4:55	Anthony	2:57
5:15	Kelster	3:17
5:28	Little Sulphur	3:30
5:45	Wilsons	3:47
5:55	Ronceverte	4:00

Connection made at Ronceverte to and from Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, Richmond, Norfolk, Cincinnati, Louisville, St. Louis and Chicago.

Norman Price spent Sunday at Mingo.

G. K. Gay has accepted the position of teller in the Bank of Marlinton.

Mrs. Wm. T. Price is visiting friends and relatives in Richmond, Va.

Clyde Y. Beard, of Traveler's Rest, is now in Louisville, Ky., going to school.

J. L. Hoover is buying his stock of fall and winter clothing in Baltimore this week.

F. R. Eber has returned to Marlinton, and seems to be in good health and spirits.

B. F. Hamilton and W. S. Smith have formed a partnership in the butcher business.

Heavy frosts are reported from Laurel Creek and other points. In some instances corn was injured.

Miss Kate Moore started to Kansas last week for a prolonged visit to her uncle, Theodore Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McLaughlin, of Lewisburg, are visiting friends and relatives in Pocahontas.

Mrs. Hanson Dille, Mrs. W. B. Hannah and Ellis Hannah are at the Buffalo Exposition.

Rev. Gay B. Crook will preach at Clover Lick Chapel at 11 a. m., Friday the 27th, and at 8 p. m., at the Station.

Mrs. O. E. Ford and Miss Eliza Beth Edgar, of the Levels, went to Ronceverte to consult a dentist last week.

James W. Warwick, Jr., has purchased the Cook property at Edray, and has moved from Huntersville to that place.

Miss Emma N. Warwick has sold her farm on Stony Creek to Ellis R. Sharp. Possession given April 1st, next.

Dr. McClintic and family were in Buffalo on the day of the shooting of the President, but at the hour he was shot they were at Niagara Falls.

The Julia Jackson Chapter United Daughters of Confederate Veterans will meet at the Academy in Hillsboro, next Saturday, at 3:30 p. m. By order of the President.

Dr. Julian Arbuckle was in Marlinton, Monday, returning from a visit to Greenbrier. His brother, Dr. Sandy Arbuckle, is with him, and they have opened offices at Danmore and Cass.

Richard Lee, (Col.) after an absence of 7 years in Pennsylvania, paid a visit to his father, George Lee, at Millpoint, last week. Richard will make Huttonsville his home hereafter, where he will practice the "honorable art."

I have a desirable hotel property for sale at Forest, W. Va., on the C. & O. R. R. Buildings new. This is a good location, at a bargain. For terms apply to the undersigned, or J. A. Moore, Danmore, W. Va.

H. M. Moore.

Some excitement was caused on the Greenbrier Division the other day by a lady passenger who was looking out of the window. She saw a freight train on a siding, and thought that the passenger was about to collide with it. She raised a considerable rumpus in trying to warn the conductor.

The second and last Teachers' Examination, for this school year, will be held in the Academy building at Marlinton, W. Va., on Monday and Tuesday, October 7th and 8th, 1901.

JAMES W. WARWICK, JR.,
Co. Supt. of Free Schools.

A. M. McLaughlin, of Lewisburg, is now in Pocahontas. He has recently purchased the White farm, 4 miles north of Lewisburg. The place contains about 400 acres and is among the best farms in that region so noted for good farms. The price paid was \$12,000.

If there any reader of the Times who thinks that a fly is wiser than a bee, then here is a scrap of poetry that fits nicely:

Who'd care to be a bee and sip
Sweet honey from a flower's lip
When he might be a fly and steer
Head first into a can of beer?

JAMES C. McPHERSON DEAD.

An Attorney at Lewisburg Shoots Himself.

James C. McPherson, for many years a resident of Lewisburg and a member of the bar of Greenbrier County, came to his death last Sunday by a self-inflicted wound from a pistol. McPherson belonged to one of the most refined and aristocratic of families, and in early youth gave promise of a bright future. He allowed drink to get the better of him and for many years he has been "dropping down the ladder rung by rung." He had been on a protracted spree and called from his office to a passer by to come in and open a certain drawer for him. The man stepped in and did so. He saw a pistol lying in the drawer. He had not gone very far when a shot rang out, and McPherson was found with a bullet wound in his side. This was Saturday. He died Sunday morning.

Thus ended Jim McPherson, a natural born gentleman, who fell a victim to excessive use of intoxicants. His life perhaps points a moral that for the grace of God the like would happen more often.

A Beautiful Wedding.

SIPLET-GIBSON: On Wednesday, September 18th, 1901, at 12 m., one of the prettiest events of the season transpired at Mt. Vernon Church, when Mr. Joseph Siple and Miss Bracie Gibson were happily united in the bonds of holy wedlock, by Revs. H. Lawson and C. C. Arbogast, officiating ministers.

The bride and groom were attended by Mr. William Gibson and Miss Gertrude Yeager; Mr. Robert Oliver and Miss Bertie Gibson; Mr. Samuel Shee's and Miss Nannie Warwick; Mr. Frank Patterson and Miss Lilly Rider.

Miss Lucy Rider very gracefully presided at the organ and rendered a beautiful wedding march.

The groom is a prosperous, energetic young farmer of Greenbrier, and the bride is a daughter of the late Samuel L. Gibson—a highly respected young lady.

After the marriage was performed and congratulations extended, the happy couple repaired to the hospitable home of the Gibson Bros., where a bounteous repast had been prepared by the skillful hands of Misses Blanche Hively, Mary Warwick and others, which was partaken of, and much enjoyed by about 40 persons. Afterward, the happy couple, attended by a number of friends, started for the home of Captain George Siple, where a kindly reception was given, and where the newly married couple will make their future home.

We regret very much to lose this young lady friend from our society, but we are glad to know she has gone to adorn and beautify the home of one whom we believe is worthy of her.

May their lives be long and happy, is the wish of O. B. S. Frost, W. Va.

Married, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles Jackson, on Stamping Creek, Miss Nannie Rose to Mr. Daniel Jackson. This happy event took place at 4 p. m., on September 11th, 1901. A public invitation had been given to the entire neighborhood to attend, and about seventy witnessed the ceremony and partook of a bountiful supper. Miss Nannie was one of the best known and popular young ladies of the Stamping Creek neighborhood, and Mr. Jackson is an industrious young man, who for many years has been in the employ of James Gibson. Mr. and Mrs. Jackson will make their home on Elk.

Married, at high noon, September 5th, 1901, Mr. James Rock and Miss Leicy Cochran. The ceremony was performed at the parsonage of the M. E. Church, South, at Academy, the immediate family alone witnessing the ceremony. Mr. Rock is an accommodating miller in the employ of Mr. E. Henry, on Locust Creek, and Miss Leicy is the only child of Mr. Geo. Cochran, who resides near the Greenbrier line. This union promises to be a happy one.

W. J. WATKINS.

Noel 8:20 a. m.

Married, at the residence of R. B. Slaven, by Rev. G. W. Nickell, September 20th, 1901, Mr. Arthur Noel and Miss Edna Benson. These young people are strangers in town, but they made a very handsome couple, and we hope their pathway through life will be strewn with flowers. They took the train for Cass, Friday morning.

New Lumber Company.

The Marlinton Lumber Company is the name of a new lumber concern owning 1,500 acres near Marlinton. The capital is from Pennsylvania, and C. W. Orwig is manager. The company will go to work at once and furnish employment for quite a bit of labor. Their lands were purchased through E. M. Arbogast.

Musical Association.

The executive committee of the Pocahontas County Musical Association will please meet in the County Clerk's office in Marlinton October 1, 1901, for the purpose of fixing on the place to hold the fall meeting of the Association. S. B. MOORE, President.

Misses Goldie and Brownie Yeager and Eliza Gatewood left on Wednesday train to attend the Powhatan Institute.

OFF AT SCHOOL.

All Cross the Border to Find Schools.

Carl Bead has gone to the Roller School at Fort Defiance. Allan Edgar has entered as a pupil of the Lexington High School and will make his home with his uncle, Rev. Paul Penick. Miss Florence Smith and Miss Lockridge are at the Buena Vista School. Miss Ethel Curry is at Winchester.

Miss Susie Price will return to the Woman's Medical College at Baltimore; Norman Price to the Baltimore Medical; Allen Gay to the Danmore College at Staunton.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Minnie D. Fultz, beloved wife of Rev. C. M. Fultz, departed this life September 18th, 1901, at the late residence of her father, Mr. F. Deyer, on Knapps Creek, Pocahontas County, W. Va., aged 31 years, 1 month and 20 days, having been born July 29th, 1870. She was married to Rev. C. M. Fultz on the 21st day of November, 1894.

She leaves a beloved husband and a bright little son aged above five years, to mourn her loss, as well as a large number of relatives, friends and acquaintances; but their loss is her eternal gain.

At the age of fifteen years she embraced religion, and continued a faithful Christian until the end of her life, always demonstrating in her life, character and social relations, that refined, elevated, uplifting and pure Christian character, which is so commendable and praiseworthy in life's struggle for victory. She was very strongly attached to the people living in the vicinity of the parsonage, located near the Morgan Memorial Church, in Greenbrier County, and requested that her body be buried there, which was done on Saturday, the 21st inst., in the presence of a large concourse of sympathizing friends, the writer of these lines officiating.

Her life and intercourse with all with whom she came in contact, was of the most conservative and refined character, and in its work resulted in a complete victory over death, dying as she did, with one of life's slow destroyers, she had full opportunity to set her house in order, and talked of and made arrangements of her affairs with as much calmness and serenity as if she was only going on a journey, and when very near the end she was asked by her husband how the future then appeared to her, she replied with a smile on her countenance: "It is all sunshine; I am ready. Tell my friends at Morgan Memorial they will know where to find me."

Life's partings are sad, but are largely relieved by the consoling truths based on the Christian religion, as enjoyed by those who humbly and faithfully live by its precepts. "Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints."—Ps. 116: 15.

G. P. M.

Ronceverte News please copy.

SIGNS OF MOURNING.

Everywhere we are Reminded of the Death of the President.

The most tasteful mourning badge we have seen for the late President McKinley, is a tasteful baton with the picture of the late President with a little crane below it. This badge was worn by a cavalry officer and a United States Marine who got off at Ronceverte from one of the F. E. V. trains to buy papers.

The city of Charleston was draped in mourning heavily, all the business houses displaying black colors. Mr. Kinley's picture was in many windows with a border of black.

Business was practically suspended throughout the United States last Thursday afternoon.

On one depot platform we noticed a badge of mourning worn by an Italian laborer, of a different character. It bore the inscription: "In Memory of Humbert I, King of Italy." It reminded us how near in point of time two rulers had fallen victims of fanaticism.

Huntersville Festival.

There will be a festival held in the old Court House building in Huntersville, on the evening of the 27th inst., for the benefit of the Methodist Church. A meat supper and refreshments will be served. The public are cordially invited to attend.

The Marlinton band will be in attendance.

Supper at 6 p. m.

Mrs. D. W. Warren,
Mrs. Wm. H. Gross,
Mrs. Jas. H. Doyle,
Mrs. John S. Moore,
Committee.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed proposals for building the foundations of the new hotel at Marlinton, will be received until noon, October 5th, 1901. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Company at Marlinton and at Grafton. All bids to be sent to the

Pocahontas Development Co.,
Grafton, W. Va.

FOR SALE

Large Livery stable and four roomed house in East Marlinton. For particulars apply to

J. H. G. WILSON,
Marlinton, W. Va.

If not sold before October 1st, this property will be sold at public auction in front of the Court house on above date, on the following terms: One third cash in hand, the residue in two payments of six and twelve months time with good personal security, title being held as ultimate security.

ON THE ROAD TO ELKINS.

Items Gathered by Rev. Wm. T. Price.

On Valley Mountain summit, not far from where Gen. Lee has his tent, there is a nice little meadow yielding but one stack of hay. This stack is a model of oval symmetry and neatness in form. The stack pole extends several feet from the top and is utilized for a flag staff, from which an "old glory" is unfurled to the highest breeze that blows in West Virginia.

Samuel Varner has moved from the Danlap place, near Linnwood, and occupies the King house, on the Vandoverford domain.

Miss Georgiana Hannah opened the Linnwood school on the 1st of September.

Col. A. C. Gatewood has occupied his new home since the day after Christmas. It is a very elegant residence and presents an object lesson as to how very beautiful the varnished natural color of our varieties of hard wood serve for decorative and finishing purposes, surpassing the most skillful gilding and coloring in aesthetic effect.

Miss Eliza Gatewood is preparing to enter the Powhatan Institute at Charlottesville, next session.

Dr. Wm. T. Cameron has an ideal home on Valley Mountain.

At Platt Marshall's two nice travellers stopped for dinner, who had driven from Walter Mann's at Edray. They were citizens of Lewis County, and had been on an excursion looking for grazing farms. They had compassed Braxton, Nicholas and West Greenbrier, and lured by the hopes of a better road than what they had passed over, they concluded to return home by way of Pocahontas and Randolph. By the time they reached Mingo Flats they were ready to sing: "Many are the hopes the future never fulfills." They asked numerous questions about Mingo Flats, and noticed on the roadside the galvanizing being where it would do the least good, on the outside instead of the inside, where the real wear and tear would be. Upon being asked if they had stopped in Marlinton, they said they had not. Thereupon the remark was made: "Gentlemen, you do not know what you have missed!" The student told his professor, "How was that?" "Well, the professor said he had never smoked, never tasted liquor, never kissed a girl, and the student remarked, "Well, professor, all I have got to say is, you do not know what you have missed." So I say to you, gentlemen, if you have never been in Marlinton, you don't know what you have missed.

"Capt. J. C. Gay has corn that promises a yield of 75 or 80 bushels per acre.

Most of the corn visible from the road, as one passes from Edray to Mingo, looks very much as if ready to be shocked.

The wonderful circle, the work of the Indians or their predecessors, at Gibson's, never appeared to a better advantage than just at present. The more one examines it and reflects about it, the more mysterious the impression it makes upon the feeling. The recent examination makes the writer more certain than ever that it was designed to represent two gigantic serpents in the act of mutually swallowing each other, and they symbolize the progress of time, as represented by the succession of day and night.

The similarity of our section of West Virginia to the Holy Lands is a subject of frequent remark. As one comes in sight of the home of the late William Sharp, on the Split Rock branch of Elk, he will notice two peaks overlooking the steep places with a depression between. This bit of mountain scenery is a striking duplicate of the Mount of Pentecost, where our Lord preached the Sermon on the Mount, and is well worthy of more than a passing notice.

Mrs. J. C. Gay and son Sandy, of Elk, returned home Monday, the 16th, from a three weeks visit to Illinois and Indiana, where many of her near relatives live. Much of her time was passed near Woodsport, Ill., where her Aunt Nancy Grell dwells. Mrs. Capell is in her 60th year, and exceeding well preserved in mind and body. She is in good circumstances and enjoys her living as she goes along. Forty-seven years ago her husband, Jacob Capell, and a party of others from upper Pocahontas, immigrated, some to Illinois, others to Iowa. They went in wagons to Fort Warren, thence by rail to the Ohio river, and from there by steamboat to their destinations. The meeting of aunt and niece after a separation of nearly fifty years duration was deeply interesting, such as do not often occur.

Austin Dilley, son of the late Somers Dilley, had on his person \$8.50. Some one relieved him of \$8.00, leaving him 55 cents to go to the show with. This happened on the 16th of September.

Massie Gatewood set out for Morgantown on Wednesday, for his third year.

Willie Gatewood is at Linnwood for a brief vacation from engineering in Virginia.

The Misses Higginsbotham, two accomplished young ladies from Buckhannon, are visiting Miss Eliza Gatewood.

Samuel Woods, the Mingo merchant, is at the old Marshall stand and is successfully utilizing the business knowledge he derived from Capt. J. W. Marshall. He is an attached friend of the Pocahontas Times, and all that such attachment implies.

W. T. P.

H. Nathan is shipping a lot of stock this season to Jersey City.

WANTED: A DENTIST.

Finest Opening in the State.

Marlinton needs a resident dentist, and the field for a dentist that cannot be equalled, certainly, in this State.

On the train the other day were eight people who were going to Ronceverte to consult the dentist. If this catches the eye of a good dentist, I invite him here to look over the field.

LOBELIA.

Walter Curry and wife are visiting friends at Onoto.

A very large crowd attended the dedication of the church at Jacob last Sunday.

The peach crop is fine this year. Mrs. Lizzie Hill is on the sick list.

Mrs. Ida Sauer is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary J. Bruffy.

Married, at the home of the bride, Wednesday, September 3rd, Mr. Albert Deane and Miss Maggie Good. The groom is a son of William Deane and is an industrious young farmer. The bride is a daughter of Sam Good, and is a fine young lady.

Mrs. Maggie Hamilton has returned from Nicholas.

Died, at her home on Hill Creek, Friday, September 13th, 1901, Miss Mary McMillion, aged 21 years. She was the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. McMillion, and has been a member of the Methodist Church ever since a little girl. She was a bright and lovely young lady, loved by all who knew her. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family.

We miss thee from thy place,
A shadow o'er our life is cast;
We miss the sunshine of thy face,
We miss thy kind and willing hand.

Thy fond and earnest care;
Our home is dark without thee,
We miss thee everywhere.
Harvey Morrison is still on the sick list.

Harper Anderson has returned from Onoto. — Mrs. DIMPLE.

MILLPOINT.

The show is over and everything is quiet. We are much wiser and the county is only a couple thousand dollars poorer.

Boys, never try to beat a man at his own game.

Wm. L. King, accompanied by his wife and Miss Edna Sharp, started to Randolph one day last week, where he expects to visit his father.

Budd Hogsett, our accommodating smith of this place, is working at Cass; we would like to see him home again.

Mrs. Franklin Cochran has been suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism, but is much better at this writing.

E. F. Nottingham had the misfortune to get his saddle-horse balked in Seebert the night of the big show.

M. E. Boblett was at Bruffey's Creek, Sunday, on business.

The great heart-smasher from Marlinton, was in this section Sunday. With so many on the string he says it is very hard to arrive at a definite conclusion.

Rev. Henton, of Ronceverte, delivered an able sermon at Marion Sunday night. Text, Romans, 14 chapters, 1 verse: "For none of us liveth to ourselves, and no man dieth to himself." This text is one that should be studied by all Christians, as well as those out of the church.

We understand that Dr. L. A. Davidson expects to erect an establishment in Seebert for the compounding of the greatest patent medicine known to science, which will be known as "Suzanne," Harrah for Suzanne!

Ed smiles and calls himself "Pap." It's a fine girl.

Humphries says he positively can't stand them fleas at the Rabbit. He has engaged a room in the hardware building, which will be completed in a few days.

Alex. McNeel, the champion wrestler of this section, got badly done up a few days ago by Little Emery piling him up in a fence corner.

J. B. and R. B. Silow are off for Cherry Bottom, where they are engaged in the lumber business.

Charley Jackson is employed as buck swamper at W. McClintic's camp. He says it's a snap and he kinder likes it.

I notice a note in your paper from one C. B. Morrison, who styles himself as "The Merchant Prince of West Milford," in which he states that Ben Franklin is mistaken about him being in Seebert looking out a location for a peanut stand, I beg pardon, I did not know that Mr. Morrison was posing as the "Merchant Prince," as we were not alluding to him at all. Some other gentleman must have captured his title.

BEN FRANKLIN.

LOGGING CONTRACTS

To Let.

Greenbrier River

Lumber Co.,

MARLINTON, W. VA.

CITY JEWELRY

HERE IN MARLINTON.

I have opened up in Echols' old stand a Jewelry Store, and invite the public in general to call and examine my large stock which consists of:

JEWELRY OF ALL KINDS,
SILVER NOVELTIES,
SILVER,
SILVER PLATE,
RINGS,
WATCHES,
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS,
AND SUPPLIES,
CLOCKS,
CUTLERY.

And everything found in the Stationery line. Box paper from 5c to 50c. All goods sold under a guarantee. Thanking you in advance for your patronage, I am

Respectfully yours,
I. L. SANDER,
Jeweler.

A SUGGESTION.

Can you afford to pay \$1.00 a suit for

HEAVY HIGENIC

Fleece-lined underwear, when you can get the same at 80 cents per suit, when you take as much as two suits? I have one of the largest lines of UNDERWEAR to be had in any city from 50 cents to \$2.60 per suit, and a very good line of All-Wool and Medicated Undershirts.

MY FALL CLOTHING

Will soon be here, and I do not mean to be late.

UNDERSOLD

By any one, I do not care where they come from. I have just received my

RUBBER GOODS.

Such as men's Felt Boots, Artic wool-lined Overboots, Storm Rubbers and Ladies' Candel Storm Rubbers, the last named I will sell at 40 cents per pair.

Call me down when I do not do what I advertise.

J. A. HOOVER,
Marlinton.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County, West Virginia at the June term, 1901, in the case of John A. Gun vs. G. W. Wade and others, the undersigned special commissioner will on

Tuesday, October 1, 1901, the first day of the October Term of the Circuit